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FEE TRANSMITTAL
for FY 2006☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27**TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT**(\$)**0.00****Complete If Known**Application Number **09/695,551**Filing Date **October 24, 2000**First Named Inventor **Roe Peterson**Examiner Name **Charles R. Kyle**Art Unit **3624**Attorney Docket No. **LGB-002****METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)**☐ Check ☐ Credit Card ☐ Money Order ☐ None ☐ Other (please identify): _____☒ Deposit Account Deposit Account Number: **06-1075 (Order No. 102761.0003)**Deposit Account Name: **FISH & NEAVE IP GROUP /ROPES & GRAY LLP**

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	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180
Total Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
17 - 26 or HP = 0 x \$50.00 = \$0.00		
HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20	\$360	0.00

Indep. Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fees Paid (\$)
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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

REMARKS begin on page 7 of this paper.